



DBSAE – Virtual Interactive Processing System

Overview

The Virtual Interactive Processing System (VIPS) will enhance the US Military Entrance Processing Command (USMEPCOM) capability for processing and enlisting a continuous supply of qualified recruits who are mentally, morally and medically qualified to serve in the Armed Forces. VIPS is being developed incrementally.

Capabilities

USMEPCOM provides the only DoD capability for processing and enlisting a continuous supply of qualified recruits to serve in the Armed Forces. VIPS will automate this process to efficiently and effectively qualify applicants in support of Developing a 21st century Total Force.

Once VIPS is fully deployed, personnel and medical data will be automated. The electronic applicant record which includes their medical information can be used as the initial entry into the service member's lifecycle (in the AHLTA, Defense Enrollment Eligibility Reporting System (DEERS), Defense Integrated Human Resources System (DIMHRS), and other DoD Computerized Records). More than 250,000 recruit applicants per year will be able to enter the system via the World Wide Web 24 hours-a-day, seven days-a-week from any computer.

Benefits

- Reduces costs by implementing paperless processes, better prescreening practices and reducing the number of Military Entrance Processing Stations (MEPS) visits
- Automates and enhances data capture and reporting capabilities.
- Automates resource-intensive, manual, and quality control processes.
- Captures workflow/workload data for analysis purposes
- Eliminates duplicate and redundant functions and administrative errors.
- Automates and enhances data accessibility and systems management.
- Reduces overall accession costs within USMEPCOM and the ACOI

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